Inspiring every child with our wonderful cosmos

Closing Remarks
UNAWE or EU-UNAWE?

Universe Awareness (UNAWE) projects and products that are funded by the 1.9-million-euro grant that was awarded by the European Union’s Seventh Framework Programme are branded as EU Universe Awareness (EU-UNAWE).

EU-UNAWE wants to benefit all the UNAWE partners! Eg.: Educational material, travel grants, etc.
WP 4 International
Communication

- www.eu-unawe.org
- Launched in June 2011
- Central hub
- 30 percent increase in visitors each month
- ~3500 visits per month.
Website

- Vision: Main source of information for astronomy education.
- It’s yours!
- Please send us your stories, reports, events, ideas.
- Send us your resources!
WP 4 International Communication

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Send us your presentations!
Including workshop presentations
Send us your pictures.
UNAWE Ambassador Programme

Let's inspire children with our wonderful Cosmos

Universe Awareness Student Ambassador Programme

Posters!
Fundraising

Let us know if you need some support from the international office (recommendation letters)
Workshop: Curricula

- Overview of the curricula topics
- Stages instead of ages (match table)
- Sub-stages
- Not only science content, but also social goals (eg. Global Citizenship)
- Inspirational topics earlier in the stages
- Integration of astronomy in the existing curriculum
Workshop: Evaluation

- Agreed impact objectives
- Template for methodology
- Use the teachers to collect surveys from the children
Workshop: Culture

- Necessary to collect good materials
- Identify gaps in the materials and produce new ones
- Publish and disseminate the list of resources
Workshop: Resources

- Distribution (on-line and physical)
- Evaluation
- Network
- Translations
Workshop: Teacher Training

- Building self-confidence on teachers
- Teachers need to explore with their students
- Follow-up is essential
- Give some content but mainly methodology
- Similar approach to teacher training as used on children’s activities
Workshop: Case Studies

- 13 great speakers
- 20x20x13 great ideas
- Great session!
Jos van den Broek @iBroek
I wanna go to Timor-Leste to watch the Venus Transit in the beginning of June. Carla, I promise to make many 'Venuskokers' for free! #UNAWE

stjornuskodun @stjornuskodun
We're all doing similar outreach programs, whether we're in Iceland, Canada, Mozambique or South Africa. Astronomy unites. #unawe

OER Commons @OERCommons
Get your cosmos learning on: Great set of new Astronomy K12 resources contributed by @unawe to the commons. Thx #unawe bit.ly/HfDnuE

ESA @esa
Cute! RT @skysketcher: Children in Nigeria pretending to be doing EVA around a rocket they built themselves #unawe twitpic.com/92bve5

View photo

Kevin Govender @govender
Greetings to everyone at the #unawe workshop. Wish @carolune and I could be there. Let's see if baby comes before the end of the workshop :)

Avivah Yamani  @ivi97  26 Mar
today talk: curricula for different ages in #unawe morning session.

Deirdre Kelkeghan  @skysketcher  26 Mar
There are people from 26 countries taking part in the #unawe talks in Leiden University

daandutoit  @daandutoit  26 Mar
attending eu-unawe opening session, astronomy inspiring young children, with strong south african participation
unawe.org/updates/unawe-... #unawe

Kim Kowal Arcand  @kimberlykowal  14h
#unawe #wishwashere If I was there, I'd talk about STOP!: chandra.si.edu/edu/stop/ & Space Scoop :)

# Workshop

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Amazing week.

Thank you everyone!
Weekend + Next Week

Amsterdam (35 min by train):
  Highlights: Canal boat tour, Van Gogh Museum, NEMO

The Hague (10 min by train)
  Highlights: Justice Palace, Museon

Leiden
  Highlights: Naturalis, Museum Boerhaave

Monday: Join us in our office 400 in this building
Instant Feedback

Comments?

Evaluation Form in your inbox soon
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